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Attorney Docket No.: 022193-061600US

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

PURCELL, Stephen C. et al

Application No.: 09/927,306

Filed: August 9, 2001

For: Sliced Crossbar Architecture with  
Inter-Slice Communication

**STATUS REQUEST**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

To date, Applicants have not received an Office Action on the merits.  
Please advise us on the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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